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SUBJECT: SOUTH AFRICAN VISA PROBLEM

REF: A. PRETORIA 539; B. MASERU 157 (NOTAL)

1. REQUEST PRETORIA DETERMINE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE WHETHER NEW RSA VISA POLICY IS RETROACTIVE. SOME RSA BORDER OFFICIALS HAVE LED PEACE CORPS VOLUNTEERS TO BELIEVE THEY NOW SUBJECT TO 72-HOUR RESTRICTION EVEN THOUGH THEIR MULTIPLE-ENTRY, ONE-YEAR VISAS WERE ISSUED WITHOUT SUCH RESTRICTION.

2. VOLUNTEERS ARE MAKING PLANS FOR EASTER AND OTHER HOLIDAY TRAVEL IN RSA AND WE ARE RECEIVING REQUESTS TO HAVE THEIR VISAS EXTENDED TO ALLOW STAYS LONGER THAN 72 HOURS. PLEASE ADVISE WHETHER THESE REQUESTS SHOULD BE FORWARDED.

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